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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2006.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper. (A Substitute Specification with marked up version submitted concurrently herewith).

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** are noted on page 5 and attached hereto as a separate unnumbered page.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.